GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2775
ANSWERED ON:10.03.2003
DEATH OF LEOPARD IN DELHI
ADHI SANKAR;CHANDRESH PATEL KORDIA;GORDHANBHAI JAVIA

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a leopard had entered into East Delhi recently;

(b) if so, the manner in which it was caught;

(c) whether it died subsequently;

(d) if so, the causes leading to its death and the persons responsible for it; and

(e) the details of the inquiry conducted in this regard and the follow-up action thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI DILIP SINGH JU DEV)

(a) A leopard had entered into a furniture factory in Nab Sarai area in South Delhi recently.

(b) The leopard was caught after tranquilization.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) & (e) Enquiry instituted in this regard has not concluded.